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ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HASTINGS of Washington) (during the vote). Members are advised that 2 minutes remain in this vote.

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So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the Senate bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

 \boldsymbol{A} motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. TAUZIN. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material on H.R. 1.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Louisiana?

There was no objection.

ADJOURNMENT TO TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 2003

Mr. DELAY. Mr. Speaker, I move that when the House adjourns this legislative day, it adjourn to meet at noon on Tuesday, November 25, 2003.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. DELAY).

The motion was agreed to.

APPOINTING DAY FOR THE CON-VENING OF THE SECOND SES-SION OF THE 108TH CONGRESS

Mr. DELAY. Mr. Speaker, I offer a joint resolution (H.J. Res. 80), and ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the joint resolution. The Clerk read as follows:

H.J. RES. 80

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. DAY FOR CONVENING OF SECOND REGULAR SESSION OF ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH CONGRESS.

The second regular session of the One Hundred Eighth Congress shall begin at noon on Tuesday, January $20,\ 2004.$

SEC. 2. AUTHORITY FOR CALLING SPECIAL SESSION BEFORE CONVENING OF SECOND REGULAR SESSION.

If the Speaker of the House of Representatives (or the designee of the Speaker) and the Majority Leader of the Senate (or the designee of the Majority Leader), acting jointly

after consultation with the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives and the Minority Leader of the Senate, determine it is in the public interest for Congress to assemble during the period between the end of the first regular session of the One Hundred Eighth Congress at noon on January 3, 2004, and the convening of the second regular session of the One Hundred Eighth Congress as provided in section 1-

- (1) the Speaker and Majority Leader, or their respective designees, shall notify the Members of the House and Senate, respectively, of such determination and of the place and time for Congress to so assemble; and
- (2) Congress shall assemble in accordance with that notification.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

The joint resolution was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time, and passed, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE AFTER COMPLETION OF BUSINESS OF FIRST SESSION OF 108TH CONGRESS

Mr. DELAY. Mr. Speaker, I offer a privileged concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 339), and ask for its immediate consideration.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the concurrent resolution.

The Clerk read as follows:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 339

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring) That when the House adjourns on any legislative day from Friday, November 21, 2003, through Friday, November 28, 2003, on a motion offered pursuant to this concurrent resolution by its Majority Leader or his designee, it stand adjourned until 2 p.m. on Tuesday, December 2, 2003, or until the time of any reassembly pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution. whichever occurs first: that when the House adjourns on any legislative day from Tuesday, December 2, 2003, through the remainder of the first session of the One Hundred Eighth Congress, on a motion offered pursuant to this concurrent resolution by its Majority Leader or his designee, it stand adjourned sine die, or until the time of any reassembly pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first: that when the Senate recesses or adjourns at the close of business on any day from Friday, November 21, 2003, through Friday, November 28, 2003, on a motion offered pursuant to this concurrent resolution by its Majority Leader or his designee, it stand recessed or adjourned until noon on Tuesday, December 2, 2003, or at such other time on that day as may be specified by its Majority Leader or his designee in the motion to recess or adjourn, or until the time of any reassembly pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first; and that when the Senate adjourns at the close of business on any day from Tuesday, December 2, 2003, through the remainder of the first session of the One Hundred Eighth Congress, on a motion offered pursuant to this concurrent resolution by its Majority Leader or his designee, it stand adjourned sine die, or until the time of any reassembly pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first.

Sec. 2. The Speaker of the House and the Majority Leader of the Senate, or their respective designees, acting jointly after consultation with the Minority Leader of the House and the Minority Leader of the Senate, shall notify the Members of the House and the Senate, respectively, to reassemble at such place and time as they may designate whenever, in their opinion, the public interest shall warrant it.

The concurrent resolution was agreed to

A motion to reconsider is laid upon the table.

NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD REAUTHORIZA-TION ACT OF 2003

Mr. DELAY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the Senate bill (S. 579) to reauthorize the National Transportation Safety Board, and for other purposes, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the Senate bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

The Clerk read the Senate bill, as follows:

S. 579

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled.

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "National Transportation Safety Board Reauthorization Act of 2003".

SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

- (a) FISCAL YEARS 2003–2006.—Section 1118(a) of title 49, United States Code, is amended—
 - (1) by striking "and"; and
- (2) by striking "such sums to" and inserting the following: "\$73,325,000 for fiscal year 2003, \$78,757,000 for fiscal year 2004, \$83,011,000 for fiscal year 2005, and \$87,539,000 for fiscal year 2006. Such sums shall".
- (b) EMERGENCY FUND.—Section 1118(b) of such title is amended by striking the second sentence and inserting the following: "In addition, there are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary to increase the fund to, and maintain the fund at, a level not to exceed \$3.000.000.".
- (c) NTSB ACADEMY.—Section 1118 of such title is amended by adding at the end the following:
 - "(c) ACADEMY.—
- "(I) AUTHORIZATION.—There are authorized to be appropriated to the Board for necessary expenses of the National Transportation Safety Board Academy, not otherwise provided for, \$3,347,000 for fiscal year 2004, \$4,995,000 for fiscal year 2005, and \$5,200,000 for fiscal year 2006. Such sums shall remain available until expended.
- (2) FEES.—The Board may impose and collect such fees as it determines to be appropriate for services provided by or through the Academy.

"(3) RECEIPTS CREDITED AS OFFSETTING COL-LECTIONS.—Notwithstanding section 3302 of title 31, any fee collected under this paragraph—

"(A) shall be credited as offsetting collections to the account that finances the activities and services for which the fee is imposed;